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SUBJECT: JANUARY 10 LETTER FROM DR. SABURI TO DR. LIVERMAN

REF: TOKYO 0008

TO: NAT'L ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (NARECO) PLS PASS TO JABLON
AND KROPP
2102 CONSTITUTION AVE NW
WASH DC

ERDA FOR LIVERMAN, WHITNAH, EDINGTON AND HELFRICH

1. FOLLOWING, PER REFTL, IS SABURI RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 20
MESSAGE FROM LIVERMAN: QTE DEAR DR. LIVERMAN: THROUGH
MR.HENOC'S LETTER DATED DECEMBER 22, 1976, I HAVE NOTED OF
YOUR CONCERN OVER THE CURRENT ARRANGEMENT FOR THE BUDGET OF
RERF. IT IS OUR REGRET TO HAVE LEARNED THAT THERE'S NO
CONSULTATION ON THE STATUS OF REVIEW OF THE BUDGET FOR RERF
WITH NAS AND YOUR AGENCY. I WAS UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT SUCH
REPORTING ON THE PRESENTATION OF BUDGET OF RERF HAD BEEN
DULY DONE WITH NAS AND ERDA THROUGH THE ADMINISTRATION OF RERF.

HOWEVER, I NOTED WITH A REGET, THROUGH YOUR LETTER, THAT SUCH
A PRIOR CONSULTATON HAS NOT BEEN DULY DONE AS IT SHOULD HAVE
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BEEN. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, I WOULD SEE TO IT THAT SUCH
CONSULTATION AND REPORTING WITH YOUR AGENCY AS WELL AS OTHER
RELATED PARTIES COULD BE WELL MADE IN THE FUTURE. PAR: NOW,
FOR HELPING YOU TO UNDERSTAND THE BUDGET OF RERF, I WOULD
LIKE TO EXPLAIN ABOUT THE BUDGET-MAKING PROCESS IN OUR COUNTRY.
THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE BUDGET REQUEST WHICH EACH MINISTRY
CAN SUBMIT TO THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE MUST BE WITH IN A CERTAIN

FRAMEWORK AS FIXED. THIS PROCEDURE WOULD NATURALLY AFFECT
OUR BUDGET REQUEST. BESIDES, THERE ARE OTHER DIFFICULTIES
WE ARE FACING WITH, E.G., THERE IS A STANDARD UNIT COST FOR
EACH ITEM LIKE THE GRATITUDES AND TRAVEL FEES, AND WE ARE
BOUND TO QUOTE THEM WHEN WE FORMULATE THE BUDGET REQUEST.
IN SPITE OF SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, HOWEVER, WE SHAL MAKE OUR
BEST EFFORTS TO TRY TO SECURE A SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF THE
BUDGET FOR RERF. PAR: NOW, I HOPE YOU COULD UNDERSTAND THE
SITUATION
AND WISH TO HAVE YOUR FURTHER CO-OPERATION ON THE
MATTER. YOURS SINCERELY, DR. TERUHIKO SABURI, DIRECTOR,
PUBLIC HEALTH BUREAU. UNQUOTE.

2. LETTER BEING SENT AIRMAIL THIS DATE.
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